



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation N . 2767**  
Masaaki YOKOYAMA et al. : **Docket No. 2002\_1144**  
Serial No. 09/839,716 : **Group Art Unit 1771**  
Filed April 20, 2001 : **Examiner Leanna M. Roche**

**POLYOLEFIN RESIN MOLDING COMPOSITE**

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of November 29, 2002, the time for responding thereto being extended for three months in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**In the Claims:**

*Please cancel claims 2, 4, 7, and 8, without prejudice and add new claim 9.*

9. (New) The polyolefin resin molding composite according to claim 1, wherein the surface layer is fusion bonded directly to the foam layer.